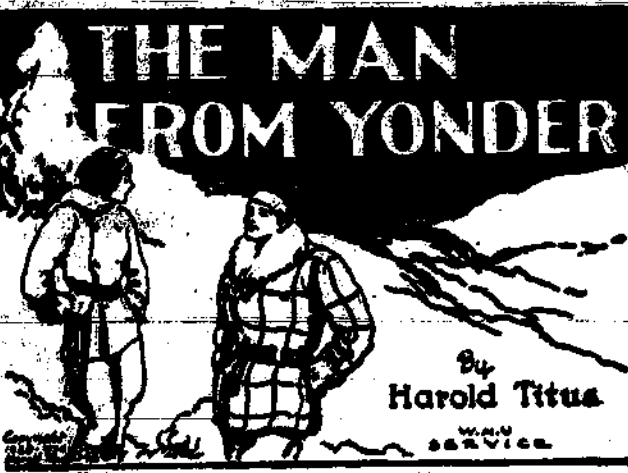


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## CHAPTER I

IT WAS Armistice day in Tincup. The time was so far removed from that delicious date in 1918 that in many parts of the country the eleventh of November had come to be regarded as simply another day, but Tincup was a mill town and the surrounding country was timber land and in such a community almost any anniversary from the Fourth of July on down to the millwright's birthday is seized upon as an excuse to lay off and play.

So the camps which turned Nicholas Brandon's standing headwood and hemlock into saw logs, and the mills which chewed their tin-dimentional stuff and flooring and shingles were deserted, and the entire population of a big territory which had commenced pouring into town the evening before was joined for the day with the residents of Tincup in competing or watching or cheering or listening.

In consequence a mere event such as the arrival of the eastbound passenger train drew no attention whatever and so none but the station agent was there to greet the stranger as he dropped down from the rickety red smoking car between his back-sack, slung from one shoulder, and old Don Stuart, literally dangling from his other arm. The agent, trundling his express truck and in a hurry to be done with duty and get back to the more exciting affairs which occupied the rest of the town, spoke:

"Well, 'Duff! Back home? eh? Well... Glad to see you! 'Better get up to the big dole's. Log rollin's just goin' on. Big time!"

As if to vindicate this priderful boast of one of its own, all Tincup and its company at the moment opened tips and compressed chests to send up a mighty, roaring shout of acclaim.

Slowly, the sharply contrasting pair moved off, the younger still half supporting the elder and moderating his call to a stroll so Stuart's quick and audible breathing should grow no more pronounced.

A slender young man was climbing a jammer in the mill yard. He lifted himself above the heads of the crowd and held up a hand for silence. This, however, was not readily obtained. A drenched and dripping citizen was only just pulling himself from the chill waters of the pond, a self-conscious grin glued to his lips as the black hair was plastered to his brow by the soaking it had received. On a peeled cedar log in the pond a giant of a man in a gaily checkered shirt,

pervey in his hands, balanced and surveyed the throng, a picture of frank and boastful self-satisfaction. The slender man on the jammer continued to wave his hands and finally these fines and compliments were smothered by other cries for silence.

"Give Birney a chance, now!" a man shouted.

"Gents!" the man called Birney cried from his vantage point. "As chairman of the committee, I'm asking for help! This committee's worked hard. We got a long program of sports for today but this log-rolling's going to flop unless we get more contests! All these folks 're come to town just to see this match than anything else on the card and what 're we showed 'em?"

"Why, nothin'!" he answered his own question. "We had two preliminaries and a semi-final between the winners of them matches. Then this final which was a joke. There stands Bull Duval, whose partner in the preliminaries defaulted and who dumped the winner of the semi-final without half trying. I bet you 'as he earned twenty-five dollars!"

A laugh arose and Duval, on the log, twisted his mustache and leered at the speaker.

"Here we raised a twenty-five dollar prize and half you river hogs got cold feet just because Duval said he was goin' to roll!" Birney was truly annoyed and took no pains to conceal it. "Ain't any of you lads got the sand to hand in your names and tackle the Bull. Where's your guts?" he pleaded.

"Ain't there anybody here that needs twenty-five dollars?"

Another laugh went up and when it had subsided a voice said:

"Here's one. What'll I do to get it?"

This was a full, even, good-natured voice, and a quick silence fell upon the crowd, followed by an expectant buzz as the stranger moved forward, his bronzed face up-lifted to the man on the jammer.

"Atta boy!" Birney cried. "All you got to do, friend, is to put Mr. Bull Duval off that log and stick by rules!"

The stranger slipped the pack strap from his shoulder, seated himself on a log, unlaced his shoes and unstrapped the bag. While he drew from its depths a pair of oiled river boots and the cluster about him grew thicker a half dozen old men crowded around Don Stuart, shaking his head and saying the usual things that men say to an old

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## Grouleff-Owen Discuss Denmark

The following article taken from the Muncie, Ind., Evening News tells of an interview by Albert Grouleff, former Grayling citizen and a Danish-American, who compares notes with Ruth Bryan Owen, U. S. minister to Denmark about his native land. It reads as follows:

Albert Grouleff, local lumber dealer, had a peculiar interest in the visit of Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, United States minister to Denmark, to Muncie Wednesday.

Mr. Grouleff was born in Denmark and lived there the first 16 years of his life. So far as he knows, he is the only citizen of Muncie born in Denmark. He remembers well the Danish language but of course, he has no opportunity here to use it.

Both before and after her address at the Masonic Temple, Mr. Grouleff spoke with Mrs. Owen, comparing notes on present-day Denmark, as Mrs. Owen knows it, and the Denmark of 50 years ago, as Mr. Grouleff knew it.

Went By Boat.

Fifty years ago, at the age of 16, Mr. Grouleff landed in New York, unaccompanied, with little money and without knowing English. He went to Chicago, then by boat to the lumber camp district of Grayling in northeastern Michigan.

Unable immediately to find work he lived on one meal a day to conserve his resources. When the young Dane got down to making a dry loaf of bread last two or three days, a countryman suspected his ill financial condition and offered him regular meals, to be paid for at any future time he had money, if ever.

Then he found work and continued to work for the lumber company that gave him his first job, for 18 years. During that time he traveled many hundreds of miles on snowshoes, inspecting timber wilderness.

"No one then thought the forests could be exhausted," he recalls. "Timber 15 miles from here never will be cut," they said. It was all cut 20 years ago."

Mr. Grouleff left that job to come to Muncie 33 years ago, going into business for himself. He has been here since.

Only once has Mr. Grouleff returned to his native land since his first arrival here. His last visit only to Denmark was in the late 190's, but he has kept himself well informed on Danish affairs and, as does the rest of the world, holds the small democracy in high respect.

Known the world over for the high quality of its livestock products, Denmark makes up in quality what it lacks in size. The country is less than one-half the

size of the state of Indiana.

Cleanliness of Denmark.

"Mrs. Owen was right about the cleanliness of the Danish people," he comments. "The hogs, kept in white-walled inside pens on clean straw, are as clean as she said, and their rye and wheat-produced bacon draws the highest price in the world. The co-operative creameries in every town are as spotlessly clean as a parlor."

"Although the United States agricultural co-operatives are voluntary, nearly every farmer belongs. The advanced methods of the co-operatives have placed the country in its enviable dairy and pork production position."

Before coming to the United States Mr. Grouleff worked in a store in Denmark. Although he still has relatives there, they are all of the younger generation. His parents, aunts and uncles are dead.

Mr. Grouleff looks back with pleasure on Denmark, with its moderate climate, not much different than Indiana's, and respects too the country's government. He cites the maintenance by law of the small independent Danish farmer and the efficient state libraries.

And, looking back on the great forest expanses of Michigan he once knew, he recalls too that in Denmark one must plant a tree to replace everyone he cuts.

Mrs. Owen and Mr. Grouleff were agreed on their respect for Denmark, and on their love of the United States.

## Woman's Club Notes

The weekly meeting of the Woman's Club was held Monday evening with Mrs. Louise Connine as hostess.

Mrs. Vivian Peterson presided during the business meeting. The general theme for the evening was Thanksgiving, the members responding to roll call by giving Thanksgiving table ideas.

Interesting papers pertaining to Thanksgiving were read, Miss Margaret Fyvie reading "Early New England History" and "The Pilgrims' First Thanksgiving" was read by Miss Ingeborg Hanson.

Mrs. Vivian Peterson read a report of the district meeting of the Club which was held at Gaylord last summer.

Mrs. Harriet Sorenson will be hostess to the next meeting which is Monday evening, December the third.

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## RANDOM THOTS

Factory whistles and dinner pail parades we believe is the only way to bring about national recovery. We're glad to see the incumbent administration aiming in that direction.

The deer hunting season ending tomorrow (Friday) has been about the wettest within the memory of the oldest inhabitants. Most camps broke up before the season closed.

Sheriff Bennett doesn't fool when he tells a fellow to come along. A couple of bulky drunks found that out last Monday noon.

Charles Wylie, a student at Olivet, says the Avalanche is looked forward to each week. Gail Welsh too anxiously looks forward to its arrival.

Our readers will enjoy the article on the front page regarding Albert Grouleff's discussion with Ruth Bryan Owen on Denmark, as it was in former years and as things are there today.

Russell Robertson is setting up a program for recreation activities for adults. So, everybody out to the school gym next Tuesday night. Come and see what it is all about.

Mrs. Charles Owen of Maple Forest has done a fine business with capons for Thanksgiving dinners this week. If you've never eaten one, order one from Mrs. Owen, Star Route, Grayling. You'll be surprised at how tender and delicious they are. She says they still have about fifty in hand, so why not order one for your Christmas dinner?

It is reported that Lorane Sparkes is trying to get appointed to an inspectorship with the Liquor control commission to take the place of Clarence Johnson. Of course Johnny will hold his job until the next administration appoints a new chairman of the liquor control commission.

## COUNTY HEALTH MEETING AT FREDERIC

Last Friday afternoon the ladies of Frederic entertained at the regular monthly health meeting and three townships, Frederic, Maple Forest and Grayling were represented. The meeting was held at the school building and the ladies had arranged a program for the afternoon. Misses Helma Corsaut and Helen Kline each gave a reading on the topic of health and Mrs. Erna Wheeler gave a report of her work for the month of September. Interspersed on the program Miss June Horner played three violin solos, with Mrs. Wynoff as accompanist.

The hostesses served a very delicious lunch and everyone seemed to have a pleasant as well as interesting afternoon. The next meeting will be held on Dec. 18, but the place has not been designated.

## Alumni Win By Close Margin

Basketball in Grayling for the season 1934-35 was officially inaugurated with the annual fracas between the High School and its Alumni. The Alumni managed to cop the ball game by the rather narrow margin of 27-23, and again it was demonstrated that Alumni teams usually win from the next generation.

In this case the game turned out to be quite a battle with the High School team putting up a gallant battle that wasn't far from being enough to win. A big rally in the second period was followed by another in the third which at one time had the Alumni trailing by five points, 16-11. The older and more experienced team of veterans didn't crack and as the final eight minutes opened were once again in front, 16-17. The High School came back strong in the last few minutes to close up the gap, but there wasn't time enough to overtake their opposition. However it was very fine entertainment and a whole lot better game than the annual tussle of last year. Coach Cornell's team indicated that they're going to be pretty tough going for future opponents.

Both teams have been getting ready for this game, with practice sessions the order for the last three weeks. Results of their work was obvious on both sides. The older boys whipped the ball around with a lot of zip, and the High School, outweighed and out-reached, put on a plucky scrap that made things plenty interesting. It is apparent that the present edition of the Green and White is going to have a nice well-balanced machine with a lot of team play. The boys take on Harbor Springs, first and second teams, this Friday night, and Grayling fans should find it worth seeing.

There was a preliminary, which the advertising claimed would be "a good preliminary." It was. Two teams chosen from the rest of the squad put on an act with a team of a dozen freshmen losing a 9-10 decision to another club made up of half a dozen Sophomores and Juniors. This was a nip and tuck affair with the Fresh holding the lead most of the time, from the moment when Leslie Hunter hooked one in from underneath for the first basket of the season. It was decided for the upper classmen when Tom Welsh snuck a free toss with the score tied and seconds to go.

The Alumni got the first basket against the school team when Jack LaGrow hit the hoop, and Brady had the honor of getting the first goal for the new suits that the Cornell team flashed into action.

The officiating was well handled with "Reg" Sheehy doing the whistle blowing for the prelim, and T. D. Sutton of Harbor Springs seeing 'em in the big game. All in all it was a very decent evening's entertainment.

Freshmen-9			
Player	Pos.	FG	FT
Hunter, rf		1	0
Peterson, rf		0	0
Lowe, rf		0	0
Smith, lf		0	2
Ruthkowski, lf		0	0
Wirtanen, c		0	1
Nellist, c		1	1
Gierke, rg		1	1
Mielstrup, rg		0	0
Bowen, rg		0	0
Sparkes, rg		0	0
Babbitt, rg		0	0
Total		3	5
Sophomores-Juniors-10			
Player	Pos.	FG	FT
Hanson, rf		0	0
Ward, lf		2	0
Joseph, c		2	1
Welsh, T. rg		0	1
Welsh, F. lg		0	0
Knibbe, lg		0	0
Total		4	2

G.H.S. Alumni-27			
Player	Pos.	FG	FT
Dawson, rf		4	0
Gethro, lf		2	1
Marshall, c		1	2
LaGrow, rg		3	0
Korhonen, lg		2	0
Total		12	3
Grayling High-23			
Player	Pos.	FG	FT
Chalker, rf		4	0
Brady, lf		4	0
Lovely, c		3	0
Dunham, c		0	0
Borchers, rg		0	0
Gethro, rg		0	1
Hanson, lg		0	1
Total		11	1

When you read that "dainty refreshments were served" you know the men went hungry—Belleville Telescope.

## Harbor Springs Here Friday Night

Friday the high school sharpshooters meet Harbor Springs in the first inter-school contest of the season.

Last year marked our first appearance opposite these boys and they rather took us to town, but not without a stiff battle.

They lost several valuable men this spring tho, and are rated, by some, as being decidedly weaker than they were last winter, while, on the other hand, we have, if anything, a stronger outfit this year. Still, in view of what took place last season, almost anything may happen Friday night.

All things taken into consideration, this promises to be one of the most interesting matches we have on our schedule.

The preliminary, in view of the main bout to follow, promises to be doubly exciting. Our second team will meet the second team of our guests and opponents—Harbor Springs.

Watson of Kalkaska, will referee.

## THE "TOWNSEND PLAN" NIGHT WORK—MAYBE

Petitions have reached Mancelona to be signed for the submitting to congress of the Townsend Plan, which is gaining adherents very widely over the country.

Briefly, the plan contemplates the government paying \$200 a month to every person having good character who is 60 years of age. The main proviso is that such \$200 must all be spent during the calendar month, and that the pensioner retire from gainful occupation and let some younger person have his job. It is estimated that two billions dollars a month would be the expense to the government, and that a federal sales tax of 2% would pay the pension, and then some.

The editor of the Mancelona Herald has done some figuring pertaining to the Townsend plan which are quite startling. He writes:

"This paper has been doing some figuring to see if Mancelona could be 'self-supporting' by it—self under the Townsend plan. There are somewhere near 125 residents here 60 and over. That would cost \$25,000 a month or \$300,000 a year. A 2% federal tax on estimated bank clearings—on business transactions—would bring in \$60,000, a loss of \$240,000. That extra \$240,000 distributed in pensions would have to turn over 40 times a year to give the government the extra \$240,000 to keep even. If it would, the Townsend plan might work."

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### PROGRAM

Saturday, Dec. 1st (only)  
W. C. Fields and Zasu Pitts

In  
"MRS WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH"  
Comedy Screen Snapshots

Sunday and Monday, Dec. 2-3  
Charles Ruggles and Joan Bennett

In  
PURSUIT TO HAPPINESS  
Cartoon Novelty

News  
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Color-Tone News

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## News Review of Current Events the World Over

**General Butler's Fantastic Story of Fascist Plot to Seize the Government—Strike in the Great Steel Industry Becomes Imminent.**

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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SOME minded American citizens find it difficult to take seriously the fantastic story that Maj. Gen. Smedley D. Butler told to the congressional committee investigating un-American activities.

This retired officer of marines charges that there is a plot, engineered by Wall Street men, to seize the government of the United States and set up a Fascist dictatorship, and the chairman of the committee, Representative John W. McCormack of New York, considered the tale of enough portent to warrant the calling of witnesses to prove or disprove it. General Butler made his story public through the columns of the New York Evening Post, as the proceedings of the committee are conducted in private.

If Butler is to be believed, he was approached by Gerald P. MacGuire, bond salesman in the stock exchange firm of Grayson M. P. Murphy and company, and urged to accept the leadership of a soldier organization of half a million men "which would assemble—probably a year from now—in Washington, and that within a few days it could take over the functions of the government." MacGuire, according to the general, thought the overturn of the government might be accomplished peacefully and suggested that "we might even go along with Roosevelt and do with him what Mussolini did with the king of Italy."

Butler's story continued: "He told me he believed that at least half of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars would follow me. MacGuire explained to me that they had two other candidates for the position of 'Man of the White Horse.' He said that if I did not accept an offer would be made to Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff of the United States army, and that the third choice would be Sanford MacNider, former commander of the American Legion. "So far as I know, neither General MacArthur nor MacNider has been approached. Their names were merely mentioned as 'alternates.'"

The general said he was offered considerable sums "for expenses" which he did not accept. He said MacGuire intimated that among the backers of the plan was Mr. Murphy and Col. Robert S. Clark, a wealthy New Yorker with offices in the Stock Exchange building; and he added that later Colonel Clark offered him money to go to the American Legion in Chicago last year and make a speech for retention of the gold standard, which speech MacGuire had previously given Butler.

Clark, at present in France, admitted he had asked Butler "to use his influence in favor of sound money and against inflation," but strongly denied that he had sponsored a Fascist movement. He declared he would take action for libel against any person accusing him in such a connection.

Murphy and other Wall Street men said the story was absolutely false and utterly ridiculous, and MacGuire, after being heard by the McCormack committee, said: "It's a joke—a publicity stunt. I know nothing about it. The matter is made out of whole cloth. I deny the story completely."

SO FAR as the great steel industry is concerned, it appears that the industrial trust asked by President Roosevelt cannot be arranged, and the prospect of a strike of the steel workers is growing.

In behalf of the United States Steel corporation, a proposal was made in the American Federation of Labor that recognition of that organization would be granted but reposes a large map of the island made in clay. A fort constructed of small wooden logs in the center of attention. Swords made from wood and a knife from soap are nicely done. There are several kinds of boats—one of which was carved from a large bar of soap. Of interest to the girls are the doll pinates. One especially of John Silver was carved from a bar of Life Buoy soap. Besides these there are several drawings and some very interesting essays.

All this work has been done by the 9th graders under the direction of Miss Berry. This English class has been studying "Treasure Island" and to make the subject more interesting they have been doing the work on their own. It is a fine display and the ingenuity and artistic ability of this class is something to be remarked upon.

that no contract would be made. This proposal, it was said, would be agreed to by 85 per cent of the steel industry.

The labor spokesmen, led by William Green, president of the A. F. of L., rejected the tender on the ground that it was hedged about in such a way to permit collective bargaining with minority groups or company unions, and that the employers were still unwilling to accept the principle of majority rule as set forth in the national labor relations board's decision in the Houde case.

If a rupture comes the Federation of Labor may find the federal government rather unsympathetic. Mr. Green's influence in the White House has been waning noticeably and he has had no personal contacts with the President for some time. New Yorkers with offices in skyscrapers were gladdened by the news that a threatened strike of elevator operators had been averted and an agreement, drafted by Mayor La Guardia's board of arbitration, had been signed by representatives of the real estate interests and the union. The union withdrew its demand for a closed shop, and standards of wages and hours in various types of buildings will be worked out by a committee of three arbitrators, with the union recognized as the bargaining agent for the employees.

BY ORDER of the national labor relations board there will be held soon a "great workers' election" which will determine whether organized labor shall dominate the country's rubber industry.

The board decreed that the Firestone Tire and Rubber company and the B. F. Goodrich company of Akron, Ohio, must allow their employees to ballot on the question of whether they want a company union or an American Federation of Labor union to represent them in collective bargaining under the NRA.

Twenty-one thousand workers, the largest number ever polled by the labor board on an NRA question, will participate in the election. In addition another 15,000 workers of the Goodyear Rubber company may ballot on the same question. The Goodyear angle of the case has not yet been passed upon by the board.

But the Firestone and Goodrich companies have opposed the elections now ordered, maintaining that conditions in their plants are satisfactory, and that electioneering in rival unions would only disturb the peace among the workers.

PHILADELPHIA lawyers are traditionally supposed to be able to unravel the worst of tangles, so President Roosevelt has picked one to be chairman of the national labor relations board. He is Francis Biddle, of the famous family of that name, and he succeeds Lloyd K. Garrison, who retired from the chairmanship to resume his duties as dean of the law school of the University of Wisconsin, from which he was called.

Francis Biddle has been engaged in law practice as a member of the Philadelphia firm of Barnes, Biddle, and Meyers. He served from 1922 to 1928 as assistant district attorney for the eastern district of Pennsylvania. In his new post his task will be the settlement of labor disputes arising out of the recovery act, especially those involving collective bargaining.

FRANCE is worried by the admitted fact that Germany has developed a military air fleet of considerable size, composed of modern pursuit and bombing planes, and Gen. Victor Denain, French minister of air, estimates that by January the reich will have from 1,000 to 1,100 of these machines, swifter and better than those possessed by France. Consequently he has asked the chamber of deputies for about \$250,000,000 to finance a program for recovering the ground lost by French aviation. The task is already under way, \$92,000,000 having been spent out of an appropriation for modernization.

HUGH R. WILSON, American ambassador to Switzerland, laid before the disarmament conference in Geneva a proposal by the United States for international control of arms traffic and full publicity to prevent secret arming of nations. The proposal was well received by most of the delegates, and it will be studied by committees in January.

By the American plan arm government would license its manufacture of machines for five years

period. No private stocks would be allowed, and manufacturers would be required to present bona fide orders before receiving a license. Details of war vessels built for other nations would have to be reported. Licenses and orders would be turned over to a central committee at Geneva and made a matter of public record. A permanent commission, including a member from each signatory nation, would be empowered to investigate transactions.

NOTABLES of the Catholic church gathered in Chicago from all parts of the world to take part in the silver jubilee of Cardinal Mundelein, who was consecrated a bishop 25 years ago. The pope sent his personal greetings and his blessing.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is revelling in baths and rest at Warm Springs, Ga., but he is not neglecting the nation's business, keeping in close touch with Washington and receiving many official visitors. At his first press conference there he announced with glad smiles that he would again "lend his birthday," January 30, to the national committee that arranges birthday balls all over the country for the benefit of infantile paralysis sufferers.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL J. R. MCARDL has thrown a monkeywrench into part of the machinery of Relief Administrator Harry L. Hopkins. Turning down a check from Hopkins to the officials of the District of Columbia which was to have started work on a housing development, Mr. McCardl held that the federal emergency relief act, providing for the granting of funds for various relief purposes, could not apply to the acquisition of real estate and the construction of houses. This type of activity, he said, would be of a permanent and not an emergency nature, and the act was adopted to meet emergencies.

The FERA already has under way a program of "rehabilitating" 90,000 farm families in houses and on land to be sold to them by the government.

MORE and more it becomes evident that President Roosevelt intends to pursue a middle of the road policy in his efforts for national recovery, and that in the overwhelming Democratic best congress there will be no one faction strong enough to dictate to him. The chief Executive and the business leaders of the country are gradually mingling together, and if and when they reach an accord on methods it will be found that a good many of the more radical ideas of the brain trusters will have been discarded. The best minds in industry and finance are no longer standing back and merely criticizing. They are taking an active part in planning for the future welfare of the nation. Herewith are summarized some of the important new developments in this direction.

President Henry I. Harriman of the United States Chamber of Commerce, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the board of directors, has appointed a committee of six men, headed by Silas Strawn of Chicago, to co-operate with other business and agricultural associations in drafting plans for the recovery of business. The board of the chamber endorsed the continuation of relief and housing, but stipulated that business is still opposed to the unbalanced budget, further reduction of working hours as embodied in the movement for a 30-hour week, new and unprecedented outlays for public works continuation of the NIRA, the doctrine of majority rule in collective bargaining, and unemployment insurance.

Through the National Association of Manufacturers, invitations were sent to every manufacturer in the United States to attend a national industrial conference in New York on December 5 to draft "constructive recommendations" for presentation to President Roosevelt. Among those signing the call for this meeting was John J. Raskob, former chairman of the Democratic party. Included in the questions the industrialists will try to answer are:

What in the future should be the relation of government to business? How is the gigantic problem to be met to relieve distress and at the same time not plunge the nation into bankruptcy or threaten its credit?

How is the new flow of private capital into legitimate investment to be stimulated?

What new moves to curtail unemployment are practical and feasible?

In a petition addressed to the President and congress the National Economy League has presented a definite program for balancing the federal budget in the coming fiscal year, holding that only by balancing the budget can sustained national recovery be accomplished.

The petition proposes heavy reductions in government expenditures and additional taxes totaling \$100,000,000.

DONALD R. RICHMOND, executive director of the national emergency council and now perhaps

the President's chief adviser, on discussing the program for permanent NRA legislation, reiterated his opposition to control of prices and production. He said the fixing of minimum wages and minimum hours had demonstrated its soundness for eliminating the worst forms of unfair competition in treatment of employees, and that admittedly dishonest business practices should be proscribed.

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## Want Ads

LOST—Springer Spaniel pup. Left Sunday night from the Orbow club. It is red and white with a speck on its nose. Notify Lester Royce. 11-29-1

FOR SALE—Reo three-ton truck in good condition; almost new tires. A. M. Henderson. 11-29-2

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STRAYED—To my home Monday, a hunting hound. Owner may have same by describing property and paying for this adv. J. E. Kellogg. 11-22-3

WANTED TO RENT—Immediately by family of three, furnished house or apartment. Write Box D, Grayling. 11-29-4

WASHING and ironing done at my home; also general house work by day, 25c per hour. Mrs. Ida Elliott, Park street, just off of Main street, next door to Frank May's.

WANTED—Saleslady or Young Man desiring to make good salary and bonus. Either your own locality or willing to travel. Write: Box D, Grayling.

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FOR SALE—Rebuilt Model 9 Eureka vacuum sweeper, guaranteed for 1 year. Robert Funk.

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# THE MAN FROM YONDER

By Harold Titus



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A new tale of adventure and romance out of the North Woods . . . A smashing story full of the action that readers have learned to expect from this virile writer. Be sure to read it as it appears serially in these columns.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, November 30, 1911

The teachers will spend the Thanksgiving vacation in various places. Miss Hanson goes to Manistowick, Miss Palmer to Cheboygan, Miss Anderson to Rose City, Miss Jones and Miss Jacobs to Gaylord. Miss Leelah Clark is assisting C. J. Hathaway in the jewelry department of his store during the holiday rush.

Word is received here of the marriage of Charles Ames, of Waters and Miss Vestline Morency, of Maple Forest, early this month. Miss M. E. Alexander, of Detroit, is visiting her brother Geo. L. Alexander and family.

A large bear that had been raising havoc among flocks of sheep near Red Oak was killed by a party of hunters and shipped from Lovells one day last week.

Miss O'Callaghan, Miss Bell, Miss Kenny, former teachers in Grayling schools, and Miss Canfield at that time known as the Burt crowd are expecting to spend Thanksgiving here, the guests of Miss Irving.

The mill at Lovells, owned by T. E. Douglas, was burned last week Thursday night and caused no little excitement in that little town.

Instead of the regular weekly business meeting of the Goodwill club Monday evening, the ladies observed Thanksgiving with a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mrs. T. Hanson.

Mrs. Almada Smith died at her residence in this village last Tuesday morning after a prolonged illness.

Rev. Kjolhede is in Iowa, giving a series of lectures before Danish Young People's societies.

### "BIBI"

"Bibi" a home talent play presented for the Ladies Union of the Presbyterian church, presented the following cast of characters:

Bibi—Ruth Barlow.  
The Sandman—Fred Alexander.  
Man in the Moon—Ambrose Melstrup.

Prince Caramel—Will Herriok.  
Sylvania, the fairy—Elsie Salling.

Toy Man's Daughter—Olga Peterson.

Sergeant BonBon—Francis Reagan.

Angelica—Anna LaSprance.

Miss Puddinghead—Macy Douglas.

Bo-Peep—Vera Matson.

Topsey, Bibi's maid—Francella Wingard.

Song hits sung were "Oh, you

beautiful doll," "Can't you see I love you" and "Blow the smoke away."

### Frederic News (23 Years Ago)

Mrs. Laura Wallace is visiting relatives at Alba this week.

H. Higgins has been on the sick list with a very severe case of LaGrippe.

Robt. Leng, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leng, Kling Bros. and ladies and others drove down to Grayling Monday night and took in "The Man on the Box."

### Lovells Locals (23 Years Ago)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Leopold on Sunday, November 26th a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brown are happy over the arrival of a baby girl on Sunday, November 26th.

Margaret Douglas and Martha Stillwagon spent the week end at the home of John Schram in Grayling.

News comes from Detroit that Mrs. J. J. Kennedy is still in a serious condition and her return to her home here is very uncertain.

### Cheney Pickings (23 Years Ago)

Earl Whipple has gone to Hillman.

Barney Penn is working in Grayling.

Mrs. A. Funck was called to Windsor by the sudden death of her brother.

Perry Ostrander is improving the sleighing by drawing hay from his marsh.

Mrs. Frank Barber has returned from her visit to New York and she thinks there is no place like home.

### An Army of Goodwill

When members of the Junior Red Cross learned that school-books had been destroyed in the Kentucky floods last August they gave \$100 from the National Children's Fund to buy new textbooks for use in the schools. The maximum membership for the Junior Red Cross last year was 7,350,380, an increase over the previous year of more than 350,000. They carry on civic and service programs in their own communities which each year bring comfort and pleasure to thousands of needy and unfortunate people. An international friendship is built up through correspondence with Junior Red Cross members in foreign countries.

## County Canvassers Report

NOVEMBER 6, 1934. COUNTY CRAWFORD

County Canvassers' Statement and Clerk's Return

Statement of votes cast in the county of Crawford, State of Michigan, at the General Election held in said county, on Tuesday, the sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred thirty-four, for the following offices: United States Senator, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Representative in Congress, from the Tenth Congressional District; Senator for the 28th Senatorial District; Representative in the State Legislature for the Presque Isle Representative District, and for the following County Offices: Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Registrar of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioner, two Coroners and County Surveyor and County Road Commissioner.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Senator was 1116 and they were given for the following named persons:

Frank A. Picard received (533) five hundred thirty-three votes.....533

Arthur H. Vandenberg received (589) five hundred thirty-nine votes.....539

John Monarch received (42) forty-two votes.....42

John Vonica received (1) one vote.....1

W. Ralph Jones received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1116

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Governor was one thousand one hundred sixteen (1116) and they were given for the following named persons:

Arthur J. Lacy received (508) five hundred eight votes.....508

Frank D. Fitzgerald received (563) five hundred sixty-three votes.....563

Arthur E. Larsen received (44) forty-four votes.....44

Robert Fraser received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1116

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Lieutenant Governor was ten hundred sixty-nine (1069) and they were given for the following named persons:

Allen E. Stebbins received (522) five hundred twenty-two votes.....522

Thomas Read received (501) five hundred one votes.....501

Roy Mathews received (45) forty-five votes.....45

Richard A. O'Brien received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1069

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Secretary of State was ten hundred seventy-three (1073) and they were given for the following named persons:

Guy M. Wilson received (560) five hundred sixty votes.....560

Orville E. Atwood received (489) four hundred eighty-nine votes.....489

Arthur E. Kent received (43) forty-three votes.....43

Clyton O'Donohue received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1073

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Attorney General was ten hundred seventy-two (1072) and they were given for the following named persons:

Patrick H. O'Brien received (517) five hundred seventeen votes.....517

Harry S. Toy received (511) five hundred eleven votes.....511

William Kemnitz received (48) forty-eight votes.....48

Edmond T. Taylor received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1072

The whole number of votes cast for the office of State Treasurer was ten hundred seventy (1070) and they were given for the following named persons:

Theodore I. Fry received (543) five hundred forty-three votes.....543

Gilbert H. Ishbister received (481) four hundred eighty-one votes.....481

Cecil Bailey received (45) forty-five votes.....45

William W. Walbridge received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1070

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Auditor General was ten hundred sixty-four (1064) and they were given for the following named persons:

John K. Stock Jr. received (543) five hundred forty-two votes.....543

Harry D. Brackett received (477) four hundred seventy-seven votes.....477

Doulay Hovey received (44) forty-four votes.....44

Edith L. Walzel received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....1064

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress for the Tenth Congressional District, was ten hundred eighty-seven (1087) and they were given for the following named

persons:

Hubert J. Gaffney received (408) four hundred ninety-eight votes.....498

Roy O. Woodruff received (546) five hundred forty-six votes.....546

William Babideau received (48) forty-three votes.....43

Total.....1087

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Senator for the 28th Senatorial District, was six hundred and one (601) and they were given for the following named persons:

Ben Carpenter received (601) six hundred and one votes.....601

Total.....601

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in the State Legislature, for the Presque Isle District, was ten hundred twenty-two (1022) and they were given for the following named persons:

Frank P. Buzza received (485) four hundred eighty-five votes.....485

William Green received (537) five hundred thirty-seven votes.....537

Total.....1022

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Prosecuting Attorney was six hundred thirty-four (634) and they were given for the following named persons:

Marle F. Nellist received (634) six hundred thirty-four votes.....634

Total.....634

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Sheriff was seven hundred ten (710) and they were given for the following named persons:

Frank Bennett received (708) seven hundred eight votes.....708

James McDowell received (1) one vote.....1

Harry Worden received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....710

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Clerk was ten hundred eighty-nine (1089) and they were given for the following named persons:

Axel M. Peterson received (749) seven hundred forty-nine votes.....749

John LaMotte received (340) three hundred forty votes.....340

Total.....1089

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Treasurer was ten hundred seventy-six (1076) and they were given for the following named persons:

Clayton Strachy received (372) three hundred seventy-two votes.....372

William Ferguson received (704) seven hundred four votes.....704

Total.....1076

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Registrar of Deeds was six hundred eighty-five (685) and they were given for the following named persons:

Ronnay Hanson received (685) six hundred eighty-five votes.....685

Total.....685

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Circuit Court Commissioner was six hundred eighteen (618) and they were given for the following named persons:

Merle F. Nellist received (618) six hundred eighteen votes.....618

Total.....618

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Coroner was eleven hundred sixty-four (1164) and they were given for the following named persons:

Arthur E. Wendt received (570) five hundred seventy votes.....570

Harry W. Sorenson received (593) five hundred ninety-three votes.....593

Total.....1164

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Surveyor was eleven (11) and they were given for the following named persons:

E. P. Richardson received (1) one vote.....1

Edmond Houghton received (9) nine votes.....9

Nyland Houghton received (1) one vote.....1

Total.....11

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Road Commissioner was eight hundred forty-eight (848) and they were given for the following named persons:

Harry W. Souders received (475) four hundred seventy-five votes.....475

Floyd Goshorn received (373) three hundred seventy-three votes.....373

Total.....848

Certificate of Determination We do hereby certify and determine that:

Merle F. Nellist having received the largest number of votes for the office of Prosecuting Attorney is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Frank Bennett having received the largest number of votes, for the office of Sheriff, is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Axel M. Peterson having received the largest number of votes for

the office of County Clerk is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

William Ferguson having received the largest number of votes for the office of County Treasurer is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Ronnay Hanson having received the largest number of votes for the office of Registrar of Deeds is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Marle F. Nellist having received the largest number of vote for the office of Circuit Court Commissioner is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Arthur E. Wendt having received the largest number of votes for the office of Coroner is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Harry W. Sorenson having received the largest number of votes for the office of Coroner is hereby declared elected, for the term of two years.

Harry W. Souders having received the largest number of votes for the office of County Road Commissioner is hereby declared elected, for the term of six years.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ) ss. County of Crawford. )

We do hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a correct statement of the votes given in the County of Crawford, for the offices named in such statement and for the persons designated therein, at the General Election held on the sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred thirty-four.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and caused to be affixed the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford this ninth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred thirty-four.

George Sorenson, Axel M. Peterson, William Ferguson, Board of County Canvassers

Attest: Axel M. Peterson, Clerk of the Board of County Canvassers.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ) ss. County of Crawford. )

We hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a correct transcript of the Statement of the Board of County Canvassers, of the County of Crawford, of the votes given in such County for the offices named in said statement and for the persons designated therein, at the General Election held on the sixth day of November, 1934, so far as it relates to the votes cast for said offices, as appears from the original statement on file in the office of the County Clerk.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford this ninth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred thirty-four.

Axel M. Peterson, County Clerk, George Sorenson, Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

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Horning, age 50, and son, 25, were arrested Tuesday on a charge of petty

larceny for their arrest was by Mrs. Frank A. Barnett.

Attest: Axel M. Peterson, County Clerk, George Sorenson, Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

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### Men—Notice

All men interested in recreational activities such as Volley Ball, Indoor Baseball, Basketball and other games, meet at High School gymnasium on Tuesday

night at 7:15. Plans and discussions will be taken up at this time for a winter program.

This meeting is not limited to any certain group, every person interested in this activity, regardless of age or occupation will be welcomed. Don't forget the date and let's all be there.

Russell—Robertson.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients at the hospital are—Junior Trudeau, Mildred Leverton, and Clayton Hack, Grayling; Mrs. Lois MacDonald of Houghton Lake.

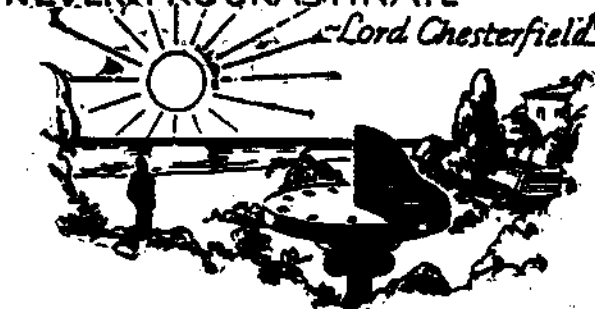
Those who have been dismissed are—A. L. Roberts and Monola Joyce Ingalls, Grayling, and Carl A. Armstead, CCC 1611, Roscommon.

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THURSDAY, NOV. 29, 1934

**News Briefs**

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and reasonable prices. 11-22-4

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely are  
spending Thanksgiving in Bay City  
at the home of the latter's par-  
ents.

Orson Corwin of Northville was  
in Grayling for several days last  
week visiting among his sisters  
and brothers there.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Green of  
Hudson were at their club in Fred-  
eric for the hunting season, and  
returned home with a fine buck.

The Jolly Cousins club postponed  
their usual meeting this week  
on account of the Thanksgiving  
program being held at the Feld-  
hauser school house.

There will be another good time  
at the Hay Loft next Saturday  
night, owing to the continued  
warm weather and many requests  
of last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Corwin,  
the former who was here hunting  
for a week, and landed his buck,  
returned to their home in Wayne  
Friday. While here, they were  
guests of the former's cousin,  
Menno Corwin and family.

Mrs. John Erkes accompanied  
her mother, Mrs. Albert Vos and  
her brother Edward Vos, who had  
been her guests, to their home in  
Spring Lake Tuesday, to spend a  
week. Mr. Erkes will drive down  
later to accompany her home.

Mrs. Bernard Brownell and son  
John Pettit, of Ludington, spent  
the week-end here and on their re-  
turn to their home, were accom-  
panied by Mr. Brownell, who had  
spent some time here hunting, a  
guest at the home of his sister,  
Mrs. Adolph Peterson.

Members of the Eastern Star  
responded to an invitation to be  
guests of the Roseomon chapter  
at their installation Wednesday  
evening of last week. The crowd  
enjoyed a delicious venison supper.  
Those attending included Mr. M.  
A. Bates, Mrs. Joseph McLeod,  
Mrs. William McNeven, Mrs. Clay-  
ton Strachly, Mrs. Harry Reyn-  
old, Miss Mabel Brasie, Mrs. B.  
A. Cooley, Mrs. George Hilton,  
Mrs. Harry Souders, Mrs. Clare  
Smith, Mrs. L. J. Martin.

A. M. Henderson, manager of  
the local Ne-Hi bottling works,  
and wife, were in attendance at  
the national convention of Bottlers  
held in Buffalo two weeks ago.  
They also visited other eastern  
cities and relatives in eastern  
Ohio. On their return trip they  
visited Rev. Salmon and his  
family at Grass Lake and reports  
them nicely located and happy in  
the services of their new field  
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turned home last Saturday night,  
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Epworth League bake sale Sat-  
urday at the Hardy Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herblson are  
spending a few days in Detroit and  
Ann Arbor.

Fr. J. L. Culligan and his father  
spent a couple of days in Grand  
Rapids last week.

Mrs. Menno Corwin enjoyed a  
visit Saturday from her sister,  
Mrs. C. J. Sarrus and daughter  
Constance, and Mrs. Sackas, of  
West Branch.

Rainy weather continues. Wed-  
nesday morning the sun made a  
poor attempt to peek thru the  
heavy ceiling. Temperature is  
much above normal either day or  
night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stephan re-  
turned home Friday from a hunt-  
ing trip in the Upper Peninsula.  
They failed to get their bucks  
there so are trying their luck  
nearer home.

Mrs. Henry Feldhauser, Mrs.  
Albert Knibbs and Mrs. Neil  
Mathews attended the Maple For-  
est Welfare meeting at the home  
of Mrs. Robert Feldhauser last  
Thursday.

Mrs. Isadore Vallad, who has  
been visiting her son Fred Vallad  
at Standish for some time, has  
returned here to spend the winter  
with her daughter Mrs. Edwin  
Chalker.

The Eastern Star Chapter will  
hold their installation of officers  
on Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th  
and all Masons and their wives  
and Eastern Star members and  
their husbands are invited to at-  
tend.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Leslie  
entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred  
Duesberry and son Eugene and  
Mrs. Henry Christensen of Flint  
over the week-end. The same  
party had been here the week-end  
previous and had such a good  
time at the Leslie home that they  
decided to come back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wythe  
enjoyed a visit from Wednesday  
to Saturday from the latter's par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Smith  
and her brother Ray Smith and  
wife of Lansing. Friday evening  
Mrs. Wythe invited in several  
friends to meet them and four  
tables of pinocle made pleasant  
diversion for the evening.

Miss Margrethe Hanson has ac-  
cepted a position in the secretary  
of state department at Lansing  
and left last week to begin her  
new duties. On Wednesday Miss  
Ella Hanson, accompanied by her  
mother, Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Mrs.  
O. P. Schumann and Mrs. Marius  
Hanson, left for Lansing where  
she will accept a similar position.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher and  
grand daughter Audrey Hewitt  
and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hewitt  
and son Fletcher left Sunday for  
their homes after being here from  
the opening of the deer season.  
Guests at the George Schauble  
home. Neither party were lucky  
enough to fill their licenses. The  
Hewitts expected to stop in Lan-  
sing enroute to their home in De-  
troit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen  
and son Vernon and the former's  
father Rasmus Rasmussen left  
Wednesday morning for Clifford,  
Mich. to spend Thanksgiving with  
the oldest daughter of the family,  
Mrs. Roy Newton and family. The  
entire family expect to be at the  
Newton home for the day, which  
includes the Creque family of  
Flint and the Younken family of  
Detroit.

A new phase of welfare work  
began Tuesday at the building  
recently occupied by the A. & P.  
Co. The building besides being  
used as a store for supplies and  
goods is a sewing center. Material  
is on hand to make quilts, sheets,  
pillow slips and dish towels, these  
to be distributed to the needy.  
Mrs. Neil Mathews is in charge of  
the sewing and there are eight  
women employed on the project  
at present.

Of interest to their many  
friends will be the marriage of  
Miss Marie Elisabeth McCormick,  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael  
McCormick of Lovells to Mr. Ray  
Joseph Doby, son of Emory Doby  
of Merrill, Mich. The ceremony  
took place Saturday afternoon in  
Grayling at the parsonage of the  
Michelson Memorial church, Rev.  
Elliott W. Zoller officiating. Be-  
sides the attendants Miss Virginia  
Griswold of Bay City and Mr.  
Alfred Hanna of Lovells, the  
bride's parents witnessed the cere-  
mony. Saturday evening Mr. and  
Mrs. Joseph Doby, the former an  
uncle of the groom gave a dinner  
complimenting the young couple.  
They will make their home at  
Lovells.

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John J. Davis had chronic con-  
stipation for six years. By using  
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Miss Ethel Taylor has resigned  
her position as pharmacist at the  
Central Drug store.

Don't miss the basket ball game  
Friday night. The high school  
first and second teams will play  
Harbor Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Harrod re-  
turned to their home in DeWitt  
Sunday, after a ten days visit in  
Frederic and Grayling.

B. A. Cooley is still confined to  
his bed. While he seems some-  
what improved his condition is  
still serious.

Mrs. Nikolai Schjotz, George  
Olson and Harold McNeven are  
spending a few days in Detroit  
visiting relatives.

Mrs. John Speck, and daughter  
Ellen, Mrs. Caldwell and daugh-  
ter Doris, of Fairview, spent Sun-  
day here visiting friends.

Sister Mary Bridget, of Cincin-  
nati, Ohio, and Sister Mary Mercy,  
of Detroit, were callers at Mercy  
Hospital for a few days last week.

Two full pages of "The Pageant  
of America," a picture history ap-  
pear in the Roto Section of Sun-  
day's Detroit News. Be sure to  
see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson and  
son Esbern Jr. were in Lansing  
Sunday where they visited their  
son Nels, who is attending Michi-  
gan State college.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hatch and  
the latter's sister Miss Kathleen  
Giles, of Saginaw, were guests at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N.  
Darveau, Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Joseph entertained  
her Contract club Saturday. Two  
tables were in play throughout  
the afternoon. A very pleasant  
time was spent by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Caldwell, of  
Minn., are happy over the birth  
of a son Norman Carl. Mrs. Cald-  
well will be remembered as Miss  
Irene Speck, a former resident  
here.

I now have the agency for fine  
yarns and knitting wools, 48  
shades of four popular grades.  
Also the Frisella line of dress  
goods samples. Mrs. Harold Jar-  
min.

Dan Wurzburg, who had been  
enjoying the hunting season here,  
left Tuesday for his home in  
Rockford. He was accompanied  
by Mrs. Wurzburg and Miss Ruth  
McNeven, who returned the same  
day.

A. L. Roberts, who has been a  
patient at Mercy Hospital for  
several weeks, or since he was  
seriously injured when struck by  
an automobile, was dismissed  
from Mercy Hospital Saturday. He  
is getting along nicely at his  
home.

Mrs. A. J. Bennett enjoyed a  
week end visit from her daughter  
and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl  
Keeley and daughter Evelyn and  
Mr. and Mrs. Vincent McQuarters  
of Flint. The men folk came to  
hunt deer.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport left  
Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn.,  
where they will spend Thanksgiv-  
ing with their daughter, Miss  
Jayne, a student at Ward-Belmont.  
They expect to return home the  
fore-part of next week.

"The Man From Yonder" is the  
name of a new serial story that  
starts in this issue of the A-  
valanche. This is by Harold Titus  
and, like most of his books, is  
fascinating with adventure and  
romance of the north woods. Don't  
miss the opening chapter which  
starts on the first page.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lamont celebra-  
ted her 88th birthday yesterday  
and in the afternoon several  
neighbors and friends dropped in  
to wish her a happy birthday.  
Mrs. Lamont is in quite feeble  
health but she enjoyed her birth-  
day party very much. There were  
about 15 present.

The regular meeting of the  
Ladies Aid society will be held  
at the home of Mrs. Emil Giegling  
on Friday afternoon, Dec. 7.  
Luncheon at 1:00 o'clock; price  
25c. Please make reservations  
not later than the day before.  
Mrs. Giegling will be assisted by  
Mrs. Carl Hanson, Mrs. Ernest  
Hoseli and Mrs. Harold Jarmin.

Benny Jorgenson left Sunday  
for Detroit to enter an Art school  
to take a course in art. He has  
been doing a lot of pencil sketch-  
ing for some time, which has at-  
tracted a lot of attention and on  
which he has received very favor-  
able comment. It is exceptionally  
good work for one who has never  
had a lesson in art. He is wished  
a lot of success.

Mrs. Patrick McKay invited in  
several ladies Tuesday evening of  
last week to meet her sister Mrs.  
LeRoy Harrod of DeWitt, Mich.,  
who was visiting here. There  
were twelve guests and bridge  
and pinocle were enjoyed with  
prizes going to Mrs. Earl Nelson  
and Mrs. Louise Sorenson respect-  
ively for high scores. The hostess  
served a lovely lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson  
and Esbern Jr. drove to Saginaw  
Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Treat yourself to the best—eat  
your Thanksgiving dinner at Shop-  
penegons Inn.

Louis Harrison returned Friday  
from a hunting expedition in  
northern Wisconsin.

Mrs. Carl Tahvonen is carrying  
her right arm in a sling, having  
torn the ligaments in her arm,  
when she slipped and fell at her  
home about a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith en-  
joyed a week end visit from the  
former's parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Wilbur Smith and Mr. and Mrs.  
Dell Sullivan, of Lansing.

Why not a safety campaign in  
Grayling, same as is going on  
about the state, to see whether  
every auto driver has a legal  
license?

E. F. Schuaim, auditor for the  
State Liquor Control Commission  
was in Grayling from Friday to  
Wednesday making an audit at the  
local liquor store.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley LaGrow,  
Miss Yvonne LaGrow, of Detroit,  
and Lionel LaGrow, of Cleveland,  
are here for Thanksgiving and  
to spend the remainder of the  
week at their parental home.

The Sisters, nurses and patients  
at Mercy Hospital are enjoying  
venison these days, brought to  
them by Harry Souders, conserva-  
tion officer. The management is  
very thankful for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Strehl and  
children, of East Jordan. Mr. and  
Mrs. Henry Trudo, of Midland,  
and Emerson and Otto Brown, of  
Saginaw, spent the week-end at  
the home of Mrs. Peter Brown.

Howard Schmidt spent last  
Thursday and Friday in Detroit  
and on his return was accompanied  
by his sister Marie, who visited  
her parents Mr. and Mrs. Holger  
Schmidt over the week-end.

Ex-Governor Wilbur Brucker  
made a pleasant call at this of-  
fice last Friday. He, with others,  
was enroute to the Northwoods  
club on Big Creek to hunt deer.  
He looked as sturdy and young as  
a college grid star.

If you're not using it, sell it.  
That piece of idle furniture or  
other articles you are not using  
will not remain idle long if you'll  
describe it and offer it for sale  
to the readers of the Avalanche.  
Phone your ad today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Feldhauser  
at Northwoods club had as  
their guests over the week-end  
Ex-Governor Wilbur M. Brucker,  
O. L. Ayres, Oscar Bayer, William  
McBryan, Herbert Martin, Oscar  
Borow, Paul Barker and son Le-  
Roy, Peter H. Trosper and son  
Junior, all from Detroit.

**CHURCH NOTES**

MICHELSON MEMORIAL  
Elliott William Zoller, Minister

Sunday, December 2, 1934

Church School 10 a. m. Axel  
Peterson, Superintendent.

Worship 11 a. m. Sermon—  
"The Bible, Why do I accept it?"  
This sermon will be given in ob-  
servance of Universal Bible Sun-  
day. Miss Ruth McNeven will  
play on the organ. The choir will  
sing "Nearer My God to Thee"  
(North) and Mrs. Harold Jarmin  
will sing a solo, "I come to Thee"  
(Graft).

Epworth League 6 p. m. Lois  
Parker, President.

Gospel Service 7 p. m. Sermon.  
This message will deal with one  
of the great sayings of Jesus  
about his coming on that first  
Christmas Day. The special fea-  
ture will be a request program of  
music by our church choir.

If you do not attend church  
anywhere else plan to worship  
with us next Sunday.

Monday, Dec. 3.—The members  
of the official board will meet at  
the church for their regular busi-  
ness meeting of the month.

Tuesday, Dec. 4.—The Queen  
Eather Circle under the direction  
of Mrs. H. A. Hanson will meet  
with Miss Virginia Skingley, the  
home of one of the members.

Thursday, Dec. 6—Choir re-  
hearsal at the church.

Friday, Dec. 7—Members and  
friends of the Ladies Aid will  
meet with Mrs. Emil Giegling.  
There will be a 25c plate dinner  
at 1 p. m. Mrs. Harold Jarmin  
and Mrs. Emil Giegling, Mrs.  
Ernest Hoseli and Mrs. Carl Han-  
son are hostesses.

**Father Sage Says:**

Don't hear other  
people in their pri-  
vate behavior.  
Can't we have the  
straightest and  
row path ourselves without tread-  
ing on everybody else's toes?

**SALE!  
SILK DRESSES**

Splendid assortment of latest Style  
Frocks for sport or dress wear.

Tunic and Jacket styles,  
Plain and rough Crepes.

**\$3.95 and \$7.95**

Do your Christmas Shopping early. We are  
showing a splendid line of **Silk Underwear**  
that make ideal gifts.

**Ties, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Hosiery  
Fancy Linens, Towel Sets,  
Toilet Goods.**

**Grayling Mercantile Co.**  
The Quality Store Phone 125

**The Man  
from Yonder**

A New Serial by  
**HAROLD TITUS**

No one knew anything about  
Ben Elliott when he arrived in  
Tincup, but it wasn't long before  
his name was on every tongue,  
for hadn't he given "Bull" Duval,  
Nick Brandon's hired thug, a  
beating he would never forget;  
hadn't he taken over the impos-  
sible job of running the Hoot  
Owl outfit after many an older  
and more experienced man had  
failed; and hadn't he had the  
courage to defy Brandon himself,  
the man who held Tincup in the  
hollow of his hand?

The oldtimers stood by and  
scratched their heads—here was  
a youngster doing things that  
couldn't be done and doing them  
well, in spite of fire and dys-  
amite and many another hazard.  
And Ben carried on, unconscious  
of the magnitude of his job, car-  
ried on for the sake of a little  
girl whom he had never seen—  
until one day he discovered that  
she was a little girl no longer,  
but a lovely young woman—and  
the one person in all the world  
that Nick Brandon really cared  
for.

Here, indeed, were complica-  
tions, but Ben Elliott thrived on  
complications though he had to  
admit that the winning of Dawn  
McManus was the toughest job  
he had ever tackled.

Harold Titus tells this thrill-  
ing tale of romance and adven-  
ture in his latest North Woods  
story, "The Man From Yonder." Readers  
of this paper who are  
familiar with the clean, vigorous  
stories that Titus writes will be  
glad to know that we have ob-  
tained the publication rights to  
"The Man From Yonder." All  
of our readers, we are sure, will  
enjoy reading it as it appears  
serially in these columns.

**Father Sage Says:**

Keep doing al-  
ways doing. Wish-  
ing, dreaming, in-  
tending, murmur-  
ing, talking, sigh-  
ing and repining are all idle and  
profitless employment.

**TWO CHARGED WITH PETTY  
LARCENY**

Peter Horning, age 50, and son  
Edward, 25, were arrested Tues-  
day night on a charge of petty  
larceny.

Complaint for their arrest was  
filed by Mrs. Frank A. Barnett  
who states that the men were in  
their hardware store late Tuesday  
afternoon and wanted to look at  
a gun catalog, hoping, appar-  
ently to have a chance while Mrs.  
Barnett's back was turned to grab  
off a few boxes of ammunition.  
By a quick glance backward she  
saw the elder Horning just as  
he was about to pocket some  
shells. She demanded that he  
give them up, which he did, and  
she called the sheriff. Both men  
were arrested and when searched  
in jail other boxes of ammunition  
were found upon their persons.  
Before calling for their appear-  
ances in justice court the officers  
will secure search warrants for  
the purpose of searching their  
home for other missing property.

Read your home paper.  
Subscribe for the Avalanche.

**Men—Notice**

All men interested in recrea-  
tional activities such as Volley  
Ball, Indoor Baseball, Basketball  
and other games, meet at High  
School gymnasium on Tuesday  
nite at 7:15. Plans and discussions  
will be taken up at this time for  
a winter program.  
This meeting is not limited to  
any certain group, every person  
interested in this activity, re-  
gardless of age or occupation will  
be welcomed. Don't forget the  
date and let's all be there.  
Russell Robertson.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Patients at the hospital are—  
Junior Trudeau, Mildred Leverton,  
and Clayton Hack, Grayling; Mrs.  
Lois MacDonald of Houghton  
Lake.

Those who have been dismissed  
are—A. L. Roberts and Monola  
Joyce Ingalls, Grayling, and Carl  
A. Armstead, CCC 1611, Roscom-  
mon.

**Why Not?**



## THE MAN from YONDER

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friend they have not seen for long. One of them was a short, wiry little man with upturned nose and blue eyes and long lip.

"Who's th' b'y, Donny?" he asked. "Who's th' b'y that's goin' to try Mister Brandon's pet bull?"

Stuart shook his head. "He's a fine young gentleman, Bird-Eye, and that's all I know. Found me at th' Junction. Broke and wantin' to get back home to Tincup. Paid my fare and helped me. Fine gentleman."

Others came up, greeted Stuart and eyed him with true concern. Any could see that heavy sickness was on him.

Birdsey was bending over the stranger as he drew out the lace of his river boots. "Well, gents, we got one more to try for this prize money. Mister Bull Duval, king of the Mad Woman, will now take on Mister Ben Elliott. Mr. Ben Elliott of—Where'd you say you come from, Elliott?"

The stranger turned that good-natured smile on the spokesman and waved one hand in an indefinite but inclusive gesture.

"Yonder," he said and grinned.

Mr. Ben Elliott of Yonder will now foil against Mr. Bull Duval for the grand prize of twenty-five bucks! That rope around the log marks the middle. Elliott—Step on your own end, don't touch the other man and anything else goes!"

As a helper used a pike pole to drag the cedar with Duval upon it close, Elliott stood still and surveyed his adversary. His glance held that kind of good nature and did not linger long on the Bull's glowering countenance. Rather, it dwelt on his pants and the river boots, shedding water in oily beads. After this, he looked Duval in the eye and grinned broadly.

A sound like a breath which is almost a laugh ran through the crowd. A likeable grin, that was, good natured, frank, fearless; men take to a grin of his kidney and on the instant, Ben Elliott, the stranger, had the crowd with him as against Bull Duval, said to be the king of the river.

The cedar came against the boom stick and Elliott took his place on it with a light jump. It was a good log, nearly two feet through at the small end, twenty feet long, with a small taper, dry and peeled; a sprightly log, indeed, for such a contest, a log to try the mettle of any man matched with any sort of



He Had Watched the Bull's Every Move.

contestant. Add to this, Bull Duval, the best river hog in Tincup, who betted his peevy and glowered at the stranger.

"I give y' two minutes," he growled.

"Thanks, buddy!" Elliott retorted. "I'd say that's sweet of you!"

"Are you ready?" Birdsey cried from above.

Both nodded.

"Then let her go!"

A buck. Balanced on the log, faced in the same direction, double as arm's length from one another, they posed. And then Duval's right leg shifted, the head pivoting downward, the log raised from its sole clawed

and with a mighty drive of the leg he had the cedar spinning

round. Elliott did not after round. He followed the moving log, double as arm's length from the other, and down it came, sliding like a

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